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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.112**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of January 15, 2010, the period for response having been extended three (3) additional months, i.e., from April 15, 2010 to July 15, 2010, reconsideration of this action and allowance of all the claims of the present application are respectfully requested and are now believed appropriate in view of the following amendments and remarks.

*Amendments to the Claims* are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

*Remarks* begin on page 7 of this paper.